Stetson University, Inc.

Financial and Compliance Report
June 30, 2021

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Independent Auditor's Report

Board of Trustees
Stetson University, Inc.

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying consolidated financial statements of Stetson University, Inc. and its related subsidiary (the University), which comprise the consolidated statements of financial position as of June 30, 2021 and 2020, the related consolidated statements of activities and cash flows for the years then ended, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements (collectively, the financial statements).

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America; this includes the design, implementation and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards,* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the University as of June 30, 2021 and 2020, and the changes in their net assets and their cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

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Other Matters

Other Information

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements of the University as a whole. The accompanying Supplementary Disaggregated Statement of Financial Position is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the consolidated financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

Other Reporting Required by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with *Government Auditing Standards*, we have also issued our report dated October 7, 2021, on our consideration of the University's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the University's internal control over financial reporting and compliance.

RSM US LLP

Orlando, Florida
October 7, 2021

Stetson University, Inc.

Consolidated Statements of Financial Position
June 30, 2021 and 2020
(In Thousands)

	2021	2020
Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents	**$ 14,266**	$ 26,660
Short-term investments	**50,065**	26,860
Notes and accounts receivable, net	**11,108**	10,043
Contributions receivable, net	**12,084**	10,554
Investments	**381,521**	301,907
Funds held in trust by others	**10,555**	9,032
Property, plant and equipment, net	**192,386**	194,962
Other assets	**6,420**	4,148
Investment in affiliated entity	**5,642**	4,605
Total assets	**$ 684,047**	$ 588,771
Liabilities and Net Assets		
Liabilities:		
Accounts payable	**$ 7,896**	$ 4,670
Accrued liabilities	**9,228**	9,467
Student deposits and other liabilities	**17,534**	10,680
Postretirement benefits	**4,698**	5,628
Refundable government loan funds	**3,848**	4,635
Annuities payable	**2,016**	2,007
Long-term debt	**145,110**	147,588
Total liabilities	**190,330**	184,675
Commitments and contingencies (Notes 19 and 20)		
Net assets:		
Without donor restrictions	**190,412**	163,163
With donor restrictions	**303,305**	240,933
Total net assets	**493,717**	404,096
Total liabilities and net assets	**$ 684,047**	$ 588,771

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

Stetson University, Inc.

Consolidated Statement of Activities
Year Ended June 30, 2021
(In Thousands)

	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total
Operating revenues:			
Revenues, gains and other support:			
Tuition and fees (net of scholarships and fellowships of $110,036)	$ 86,941	$ -	$ 86,941
Contributions	796	4,541	5,337
Income and realized gains on investments – net of fees	526	1	527
Endowment income used in operations	5,471	11,136	16,607
Sales of educational services	612	-	612
Sales and services of auxiliary enterprises	19,733	-	19,733
Government grants	7,323	-	7,323
Other	895	(48)	847
Unrealized loss on investments	(182)	-	(182)
Net assets released from restrictions	14,515	(14,515)	-
Total operating revenues, gains (losses) and other support	136,630	1,115	137,745
Operating expenses:			
Educational and general:			
Instruction	51,311	-	51,311
Research	1,564	-	1,564
Public service	444	-	444
Academic support	13,827	-	13,827
Student services	26,358	-	26,358
Institutional support	19,153	-	19,153
Total education and general	112,657	-	112,657
Auxiliary enterprises	23,030	-	23,030
Total operating expenses	135,687	-	135,687
Change in net assets from operations	943	1,115	2,058
Nonoperating activities:			
Contributions for non-operating activities	-	7,505	7,505
Funds held in trust by others	-	1,845	1,845
Income and realized gains on investments – net of fees	15,482	31,345	46,827
Endowment income used in operations	(5,471)	(11,136)	(16,607)
Net unrealized gains from investments	14,967	31,227	46,194
Change in value of split interest agreements	-	300	300
Postretirement changes other than service costs	1,029	-	1,029
Other	(188)	(379)	(567)
Net assets released from restrictions	487	(487)	-
Increase in investment in affiliated entity	-	1,037	1,037
Change in net assets from non-operating activities	26,306	61,257	87,563
Change in net assets	27,249	62,372	89,621
Net assets:			
Beginning	163,163	240,933	404,096
Ending	$ 190,412	$ 303,305	$ 493,717

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

Stetson University, Inc.

Consolidated Statement of Activities
Year Ended June 30, 2020
(In Thousands)

	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total
Operating revenues:			
Revenues, gains and other support:			
Tuition and fees (net of scholarships and fellowships of $100,437)	$ 90,874	$ -	$ 90,874
Contributions	593	4,437	5,030
Income and realized gains on investments – net of fees	647	-	647
Endowment income used in operations	3,724	8,292	12,016
Sales of educational services	1,759	-	1,759
Sales and services of auxiliary enterprises	27,085	-	27,085
Government grants	3,710	-	3,710
Other	2,649	25	2,674
Unrealized loss on investments	156	-	156
Net assets released from restrictions	12,013	(12,013)	-
Total operating revenues, gains (losses) and other support	143,210	741	143,951
Operating expenses:			
Educational and general:			
Instruction	53,876	-	53,876
Research	820	-	820
Public service	1,487	-	1,487
Academic support	14,494	-	14,494
Student services	28,346	-	28,346
Institutional support	20,470	-	20,470
Total education and general	119,493	-	119,493
Auxiliary enterprises	21,538	-	21,538
Total operating expenses	141,031	-	141,031
Change in net assets from operations	2,179	741	2,920
Nonoperating activities:			
Contributions for non-operating activities	-	1,925	1,925
Funds held in trust by others	-	133	133
Income and realized gains on investments – net of fees	4,002	8,282	12,284
Endowment income used in operations	(3,724)	(8,292)	(12,016)
Net unrealized gains from investments	319	1,570	1,889
Change in value of split interest agreements	-	(97)	(97)
Postretirement changes other than service costs	134	-	134
Other	(1,143)	(93)	(1,236)
Net assets released from restrictions	2,629	(2,629)	-
Increase in investment in affiliated entity	-	121	121
Change in net assets from non-operating activities	2,217	920	3,137
Change in net assets	4,396	1,661	6,057
Net assets:			
Beginning	158,767	239,272	398,039
Ending	$ 163,163	$ 240,933	$ 404,096

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

Stetson University, Inc.

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows
Years Ended June 30, 2021 and 2020
(In Thousands)

	2021	2020
Cash flows from operating activities:		
Change in net assets	**$ 89,621**	$ 6,057
Adjustments to reconcile change in net assets to net cash provided by operating activities:		
Contributions restricted for long-term investment	**(4,649)**	(6,293)
Depreciation	**11,270**	11,238
Loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	**10**	549
Income and net realized gains from long-term investments	**(46,827)**	(12,284)
Net unrealized gains from long-term investments	**(46,194)**	(1,889)
Amortization of bond premium and issuance costs	**(621)**	(677)
Change in value of split-interest agreements	**34**	51
Change in investment in affiliated entity	**(1,037)**	(121)
Changes in assets and liabilities:		
Decrease (increase) in assets:		
Notes and accounts receivable, net	**(1,921)**	(229)
Pledges receivable, net	**(1,530)**	5,379
Funds held in trust by others	**(1,523)**	162
Other assets	**(2,272)**	(345)
(Decrease) increase in liabilities:		
Accounts payable	**2,226**	407
Accrued liabilities	**(239)**	892
Student deposits and other current liabilities	**6,854**	(1,220)
Postretirement benefits	**(930)**	(41)
Net cash provided by operating activities	**2,272**	1,636
Cash flows from investing activities:		
Purchases of property, plant and equipment	**(7,728)**	(6,936)
Proceeds from sales of property, plant and equipment	**24**	3,739
Proceeds from student loan collections	**856**	869
Purchases of investments	**(188,098)**	(289,021)
Proceeds from maturities and sales of investments	**178,509**	242,214
Net cash used in investing activities	**(16,437)**	(49,135)
Cash flows from financing activities:		
Proceeds from contributions received for:		
Investment in endowment	**2,549**	5,008
Investment in plant and other	**2,100**	1,274
Investment in annuity agreements, net	**-**	25
	4,649	6,307

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Stetson University, Inc.

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows (Continued)
Years Ended June 30, 2021 and 2020
(In Thousands)

	2021	2020
Other financing activities:		
(Decrease) increase in federal student loan funds	**$ (787)**	$ (911)
Proceeds from long-term debt	**-**	52,505
Payments on long-term debt	**(1,855)**	(9,449)
Payments on annuities payable	**(236)**	(239)
	(2,878)	41,906
Net cash provided by financing activities	**1,771**	48,213
Net (decrease) increase in cash and cash equivalents	**(12,394)**	714
Cash and cash equivalents:		
Beginning	**26,660**	25,946
Ending	**$ 14,266**	$ 26,660
Supplemental disclosures of cash flow information:		
Interest paid	**$ 6,480**	$ 5,755
Supplemental disclosures of noncash investing and financing activities:		
Capital expenditures included in accounts payable	**$ 1,487**	$ 487

See notes to consolidated financial statements.

Note 1. Nature of Organization and Significant Accounting Policies

Nature of organization: Stetson University, Inc. (the University) is a nonprofit institution subject to the rules and regulations of Internal Revenue Service (IRS) Section 501(c)(3). The University consists of three separate campuses at the following locations:

Stetson University (main campus)
421 North Woodland Boulevard
DeLand, FL 32723

Stetson University College of Law
1401 61st Street South
Gulfport, FL 33707

Tampa Law Center and Campus
1700 North Tampa Street
Tampa, FL 33602

Consolidated with the University's financial statements are the balances for GSH Investments, LLC (the Subsidiary), in which the University is the sole member. GSH Investments has acquired additional property, which is owned by the Subsidiary, until it is either sold or transferred to the University.

The accompanying consolidated financial statements were prepared on the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues and support are reported when earned or unconditionally received. Expenses are recorded when purchases of materials or services are made. Revenues earned and expenses incurred applicable to the current period are accrued while those applicable to future periods are deferred.

A summary of the University's significant accounting policies follows:

Net assets: Resources are reported for accounting purposes into separate classes of net assets based on the existence or absence of donor-imposed restrictions. In the accompanying consolidated financial statements, net assets that have similar characteristics have been combined into similar categories as follows:

Net assets without donor restrictions: Net assets that are not subject to donor-imposed stipulations. Unrestricted net assets may be designated for specific purposes by action of the Board of Trustees or may otherwise be limited by contractual agreements with outside parties, such as governmental grant agreements.

Net assets with donor restrictions: Net assets that carry restrictions that expire upon the passage of a prescribed period of time or upon the occurrence of a stated event as specified by the donor. Net assets subject to donor-imposed stipulations that they be maintained in perpetuity by the University. Generally, the donors of these assets permit the University to use all or part of the return earned on related assets for general or specific purposes.

Expenses are reported as decreases in net assets without donor restrictions. Expirations of donor-imposed stipulations that simultaneously increase one class of net assets and decrease another are reported as reclassifications between the applicable classes of net assets as net assets released from restrictions in the accompanying consolidated statements of activities.

Note 1. Nature of Organization and Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Cash and cash equivalents: The University considers all highly liquid investments with a maturity of three months or less when purchased to be cash and cash equivalents, except for those short-term financial instruments included in the University's investment accounts.

The University maintains cash accounts with several large financial institutions. All accounts at each financial institution are guaranteed by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) up to $250 per bank. The University has cash deposited that exceeds the federally insured deposit amount. Management does not anticipate nonperformance by the financial institutions. The University also places its cash equivalents and short-term investments with high-quality institutions.

Short-term investments: Short-term investments include assets invested in a managed fund that holds highly liquid fixed-income securities, short-term U.S. Treasury securities and other short-term investments with varying maturities for an overall fund average of less than one year. All short-term investments are recorded at fair value. Included in short-term investments as of June 30, 2021 and 2020, is $18,645 and $19,179, respectively, from the proceeds of the Stetson University Taxable Revenue Bonds Series 2019. These funds have no restrictions on their use. See Note 8 for further details.

Student accounts receivable: Student accounts receivable are reported net of any anticipated losses due to uncollectible accounts and are included in notes and accounts receivable in the accompanying consolidated statements of financial position. The University considers an account to be past due when a student still has an account balance after the final payment due date of the semester. Past due accounts are subject to past due letter collection efforts. If an account balance still exists at the conclusion of the four- to six-month collection period, the account is written off and placed with a third-party collection agency. Historical write-off history as a percentage of outstanding receivable balances is used to help establish an appropriate allowance for uncollectible accounts. The University assesses a finance charge against past due student receivables that are deferred under a monthly payment plan.

Student loans receivable: Prior to fiscal year 2019, the University made uncollateralized loans to students based on financial need. Student loans were funded through the Federal Perkins Loan Program or institutional resources. At both June 30, 2021 and 2020, student loans represented approximately 1.0% of total assets.

Student loans receivable are reported net of any anticipated losses due to uncollectible loans and are included in notes and accounts receivable in the accompanying consolidated statements of financial position. The University considers a loan to be in default when it has been past due for a period of four months. Past due loans are subject to internal collection efforts for a period of six months and are subsequently placed with third-party collection agencies. The allowance for uncollectible loans is calculated using the unpaid balances of all defaulted loans and applying an allowance factor based on the length of time since the most recent payment. This calculation is performed for both the Federal Perkins and institutional loans. The Federal Perkins Loan Program has provisions for deferment, forbearance and cancellation of individual loans. The deferment and forbearance provisions of the Federal Perkins Loan Program are generally applied to institutional loans as well. Interest continues to accrue while the loan is placed with a collection agency.

Note 1. Nature of Organization and Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Contributions receivable: Unconditional promises to give that are expected to be collected within one year are recorded at net realizable value, which approximates fair value at date of the contributions. Unconditional promises to give in future periods are initially recorded at estimated fair value (net of present value discounting) and subsequently amortized over the expected payment period, net of an allowance for uncollectible contributions. The net present value (NPV) is determined at the time the unconditional promise to give is initially received, and is determined using a risk adjusted rate applied to the most likely cash flows. Amortization of the resulting discount is included in contribution revenue. The allowance for uncollectible contributions is based on pledge activity. Large contributions are reviewed on a case-by-case basis. The write-off history as a percentage of outstanding contributions receivables is considered in establishing an appropriate allowance.

Investments: Investments in marketable equity securities and debt securities, including mutual funds, are recorded at their estimated fair values, which are based on quoted market prices or recognized pricing services. Alternative investments (nontraditional, not readily-marketable assets) are stated at fair value as established by using the net asset value (NAV) of each investment provided by the investment fund manager. Individual investment holdings within the alternative investments may, in turn, include investments in both nonmarketable and market-traded securities. Values may be based on historical cost, appraisals, or other estimates that require varying degrees of judgment. Gifts of investments are recorded at their fair value (based upon quotations or appraisals) at date of gift. Purchases and sales of investments are recorded on the trade date. Except for investments that are held separately for specific reasons, investments are maintained in a pool. Gifts that are invested in the pool are assigned units of participation in the pool based upon their market value on the date of gift and the most recently determined unit market value for the existing units of participation. Subsequent allocations of annual income of the independent pool are based upon the number of units of participation. Withdrawals are based upon the spending policy approved by the Board of Trustees and follow the total return concept of utilizing both income and realized gain. The market value of the units of participation is calculated quarterly.

The University invests in a combination of investment securities, which are exposed to various risks, such as interest rate, market and credit risk. Due to the level of risk associated with certain investment securities and the level of uncertainty related to changes in the value of investment securities, it is at least reasonably possible that changes in risks in the near-term could materially affect the University's investment balance reported in the consolidated statements of financial position.

Split-interest agreements: The University's investments include deferred giving vehicles subject to split-interest agreements. Two different types of agreements are currently maintained: Charitable Gift Annuity and Charitable Remainder Unitrust (the Trust).

Charitable Gift Annuities are irrevocable gifts under which the University agrees in turn to pay a life annuity to the donor or designated beneficiary. The contributed funds and the attendant liabilities immediately become part of the general assets and liabilities of the University, subject to the University's maintaining an actuarial reserve in accordance with Florida law. The Trust gifts are time-restricted contributions not available to the University until after the death of the beneficiary, who, while living, receives an annual payout from the Trust based on a fixed percentage of the market value of the invested funds.

Note 1. Nature of Organization and Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

The University initially values deferred gifts of cash at face value and those of equities at market value, then these values are actuarially discounted. Published IRS discount rates are employed to determine the net present value of both contributions and liabilities pertaining to these deferred giving arrangements.

Of the $381,521 recorded as investments in the accompanying consolidated statement of financial position at June 30, 2021, $2,982 represents split-interest agreements, and the associated liabilities total $2,016. Of the $301,907 recorded as investments in the accompanying consolidated statement of financial position at June 30, 2020, $2,672 represents split-interest agreements, and the associated liabilities total $2,007.

Property, plant and equipment: Property, plant and equipment are stated at cost at the date of acquisition or at fair value at the date of donation in the case of gifts. Expenditures that materially increase values, change capacities or extend useful lives are capitalized, as are interest costs during the period of construction on amounts borrowed for such expenditures. When any property, plant and equipment is removed from the records, any gain or loss is recognized at the time of disposal. Under the University's capitalization policy, any expenditure for property, plant and equipment of less than $3,000 is expensed as incurred. The cost of repairs and maintenance are charged to expense as incurred.

The University collects works of art, historical treasures and similar assets, which reflect the history of the institution and/or support its educational purpose. The collections are maintained for public exhibition, education and research in furtherance of public service. Collections are protected, kept unencumbered, cared for, and preserved. The University capitalizes collections it receives as gifts. These collections are included in property, plant and equipment and are not depreciated.

The University evaluates, on an ongoing basis, the carrying value of property and equipment based on estimated future undiscounted cash flows. In the event such cash flows are not expected to be sufficient to recover the carrying value of the assets, the useful lives of the assets are revised or the assets are written down to their estimated fair values.

Depreciation is recorded on the straight-line basis. The estimated useful life of land improvements, buildings and building improvements is 5 to 40 years. The estimated useful life of furniture and equipment and library books is 3 to 10 years.

Student deposits: Student deposits represent monies collected in advance for deposits and tuition.

Original issue premiums: The original issue premiums on bonds are being amortized using the effective interest method over the life of the bonds and are included with long-term debt on the accompanying consolidated statements of financial position.

Deferred financing costs: Deferred financing costs consist of bond issuance costs. These costs are being amortized using the effective interest method over the life of the related bonds and are netted with long-term debt in the accompanying consolidated statements of financial position (see Note 8 for additional discussion).

Income taxes: The University is exempt from federal income taxation as defined by Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code (IRC) and is generally exempt from state income taxes under the provisions of the Florida Nonprofit Corporation Act. Therefore, no provision for income taxes has been reflected in the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

Note 1. Nature of Organization and Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Postretirement benefits: The University accounts for its postretirement benefits on an accrual basis as discussed in Note 10.

Operating and nonoperating activities: The consolidated statements of activities report the change in net assets from operating and nonoperating activities. Operating revenues consist of substantially all the activity of the University except for certain items specifically considered to be of a nonoperating nature. Contributions included in nonoperating activities consist of scholarship bequests and other restricted gifts not solicited as part of the annual fundraising campaigns, gifts restricted for the acquisition of capital assets, and gifts restricted to endowment funds. Nonoperating activities also include realized and unrealized gains/losses on endowment income not used in operations, change in net present value of split interest agreements, change in actuarial value of the postretirement liability, net asset releases for property, plant and equipment placed into service, and significant items of an unusual or nonrecurring nature.

Contributions: The University records contributions of cash and other assets and unconditional promises to give upon receipt. The University records contributions of cash and other assets as restricted contributions if they are received with donor stipulations that limit the use of the donated assets. Unconditional promises to give are recorded as restricted contributions unless the donor specifies that the pledge is to support current year operations. When a donor restriction expires, that is, when a stipulated time restriction ends or purpose restriction is accomplished, temporarily restricted net assets are reclassified to unrestricted net assets and reported in the accompanying statements of activities as net assets released from restrictions. When restrictions are met in the year of contribution receipt, such contributions are shown as temporarily restricted revenues and as net assets released from restrictions.

The University reports gifts of land, buildings and equipment as unrestricted contributions unless explicit donor stipulations specify how the donated assets must be used or disposed. Gifts of long-lived assets with explicit restrictions that specify how the assets are to be used and gifts of cash or other assets that must be used to acquire long-lived assets are reported as restricted contributions. Absent explicit donor stipulations about how those long-lived assets must be maintained, the University reports expirations of donor restrictions as unrestricted when the donated assets are received or when long-lived assets are acquired with restricted contributions are placed into service.

Tuition revenue and discounts: Tuition is recognized in the fiscal year in which educational services are delivered and is not refundable except as noted in the provisions of the University's catalog. The portion of tuition revenue for the summer term that is earned subsequent to the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, is treated as deferred revenue and is included with student deposits and other current liabilities on the accompanying consolidated statements of financial position. The University presents amounts expended for scholarships and fellowships as a reduction of tuition and fees revenue on the accompanying consolidated statements of activities. See Note 16 for further disclosures.

Sales of educational services and sales and services of auxiliary enterprises: Sales of educational services and sales and services of auxiliary enterprises, which include room, board and other student services, are recognized in the period in which related educational services are delivered. See Note 16 for further disclosures.

Note 1. Nature of Organization and Significant Accounting Policies (Continued)

Government grants: Grant awards are evaluated by management and determined to be either unconditional contributions or exchange transactions. If considered to be a contribution, revenue from grants are recorded upon notification of the award. If considered to be an exchange transaction, revenue from grants are recorded as expenditures are made under the terms of the respective grant agreement and all requirements relating to the grants and contracts have been met. See Note 16 for further disclosures.

Advertising costs: The costs of advertising are charged to operations in the year incurred. Advertising costs amounted to $851 and $748 for the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively.

Functional expenses: Expenses are primarily reported in the consolidated statements of activities in categories recommended by the National Association of College and University Business Officers. The University's primary program service is instruction and research. Expenses reported as public service, academic support, student services, institutional support, and auxiliary enterprises are incurred in support of this primary program service. The University's fund-raising expenses were $3,437 and $4,708 for the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively, and are included in institutional support in the consolidated statements of activities.

Estimates: The preparation of consolidated financial statements in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities; the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the consolidated financial statements; and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates.

Recently adopted accounting pronouncement: In February 2016, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) issued Accounting Standards Update (ASU) 2016-02, *Leases (Topic 842)* to increase transparency and comparability of accounting for lease transactions. The update required: (1) all leases to be recognized on the balance sheet as lease (right-of-use) assets and lease liabilities and (ii) both quantitative and qualitative disclosures regarding key information about leasing arrangements. Prior to adoption, the University's leases were classified as operating leases with no lease assets or liabilities recorded. The University transitioned to this accounting standard on a modified retrospective basis by recording the cumulative effect of lease assets and liabilities for active leases as of July 1, 2021. As a result of the adoption of the new lease standard on July 1, 2020, the University recorded $2,263 for lease liabilities and $2,293 for the corresponding lease asset, which are recorded in other assets and other liabilities in the consolidated statements of financial position. The lease liabilities were based on the present value of the remaining minimum rental payments using discount rates as of the effective date. The impact to the consolidated statements of activities related to the adoption of this standard was $30. The University did not restate comparative periods in transition and elected to use the effective date of July 1, 2020, as the initial date of transition.

Note 2. Notes and Accounts Receivable

Notes and accounts receivable consist of the following at June 30, 2021 and 2020:

	2021	2020
Student accounts receivable (net of allowance of $489 in 2021 and $457 in 2020)	$ 2,187	$ 2,020
Student loans receivable (net of allowance of $859 in 2021 and $1,092 in 2020)	2,611	3,820
Grants receivable	4,458	2,656
Accrued interest receivable	713	947
Other receivables	1,139	600
	$ 11,108	$ 10,043

Student loans consist of the following at June 30, 2021 and 2020:

	2021	2020
Federal Perkins Loan program	$ 3,393	$ 4,736
Institutional programs	77	176
	3,470	4,912
Less allowance for doubtful accounts:		
Beginning of year	(1,092)	(1,297)
Adjustments	152	177
Write-offs	81	28
End of year	(859)	(1,092)
Student loans receivable, net	$ 2,611	$ 3,820

The University participates in the Perkins federal revolving loan program (the program). The availability of funds for loans under the program is dependent on reimbursements to the pool from repayments on outstanding loans. Funds advanced by the federal government of $3,848 and $4,635 at June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively, are ultimately refundable to the government and are classified as liabilities in the consolidated statements of financial position. Outstanding loans canceled under the program result in a reduction of the funds available for loan and a decrease in the liability to the government.

The Federal Perkins Loan Program expired September 30, 2017, and fiscal year 2018 was the last year that the University could award Perkins loans based on action established by the Department of Education. Accordingly, the University did not award any Perkins loans in fiscal year 2021 and 2020. The University will be liquidating its Federal Perkins Revolving Loan Fund at the direction of the Department of Education. The liquidation will likely involve the University assigning all eligible outstanding loans to the Department of Education and the remittance of federal share of remaining Perkins cash assets to the Department of Education. Until liquidation is complete, the University is required to return the federal share of collections from students on an annual basis. Funds returned to the government from student collections amounted to $874 and $1,022 in FY 2021 and FY 2020, respectively.

Note 2. Notes and Accounts Receivable (Continued)

At June 30, 2021 and 2020, the following principal balances were past due under student loan programs:

	1-60 Days Past Due	60-90 Days Past Due	90+ Days Past Due	Total Past Due
2021	$ 7	$ 3	$ 1,048	$ 1,058
2020	$ 7	$ 3	$ 1,346	$ 1,356

Note 3. Contributions Receivable

Contributions receivable are expected to be realized in the following periods:

	2021	2020
One year or less	$ 8,250	$ 4,144
Between one year and five years	1,605	3,858
More than five years	5,704	5,967
	15,559	13,969
Less discount	(1,169)	(1,336)
Less allowance	(2,306)	(2,079)
	$ 12,084	$ 10,554

The discount rate used for contributions receivable in 2021 and 2020, ranged from 0.04% to 3.05%.

Contributions receivable are classified as follows:

	2021	2020
Contributions to be held in perpetuity	$ 5,272	$ 2,501
Contributions restricted by time or purpose	6,812	8,053
	$ 12,084	$ 10,554

70% of the University's contributions receivable at June 30, 2021 and 2020, were provided by 5 and 11 contributors, respectively. Written promises to give from members of the Board of Trustees and Officers of the University support net pledges receivable as of June 30, 2021 and 2020, of $654 and $1,375, respectively.

Note 4. Investments

A summary of investments by type at June 30, 2021 and 2020 is as follows:

	2021		2020	
	Cost	Fair Value	Cost	Fair Value
Money market	$ 1,971	$ 1,971	$ 1,171	$ 1,171
Equity securities	11,523	30,314	8,623	19,502
Equity mutual funds	133,548	204,852	121,015	167,237
Fixed income securities	39,617	40,462	33,854	34,560
Fixed income mutual funds	19,326	20,395	21,883	20,912
Alternative investments	66,683	82,758	53,328	57,783
Other investments	1,275	769	1,290	742
Total	$ 273,943	$ 381,521	$ 241,164	$ 301,907

Income and net realized gains (losses) on investments for the year ended June 30, 2021, are as follows:

By source of earnings:	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total
Income on endowment funds	$ 2,130	$ 4,335	$ 6,465
Other investment income	914	-	914
Net realized gains on endowment funds	12,964	27,011	39,975
	$ 16,008	$ 31,346	$ 47,354
By operating and non-operating:			
Income and realized gains on investments – net from operating activity	$ 526	$ 1	$ 527
Income and realized gains on investments – net from non-operating activities	15,482	31,345	46,827
	$ 16,008	$ 31,346	$ 47,354

Note 4. Investments (Continued)

Income and net realized gains (losses) on investments for the year ended June 30, 2020, are as follows:

By source of earnings:	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total
Income on endowment funds	$ 1,641	$ 4,033	$ 5,674
Other investment income	1,090	-	1,090
Net realized gains on endowment funds	1,754	4,249	6,003
Net realized gains (losses) on other investment income	164	-	164
	$ 4,649	$ 8,282	$ 12,931
By operating and non-operating:			
Income and realized gains on investments – net from operating activity	$ 647	$ -	$ 647
Income and realized gains on investments – net from non-operating activities	4,002	8,282	12,284
	$ 4,649	$ 8,282	$ 12,931

Investment income is net of management fees and expenses of $1,526 and $917 for the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively.

The following schedule summarizes changes in relationships between market value and cost of the University's pooled investments (in thousands, except for market value per share):

	Year Ended June 30, 2021			
	Cost	Market Value	Net Gain	Market Value Per Share
End of period	$ 266,199	$ 371,897	$ 105,698	$ 18.38
Beginning of period	234,017	294,192	60,175	14.70
Net change in unrealized appreciation for the period			45,523	
Net realized gain for the period			39,272	
Total net gain			$ 84,795	

	Year Ended June 30, 2020			
	Cost	Market Value	Net Gain	Market Value Per Share
End of period	$ 234,017	$ 294,192	$ 60,175	$ 14.70
Beginning of period	180,514	238,890	58,376	14.35
Net change in unrealized appreciation for the period			1,799	
Net realized gain for the period			5,464	
Total net gain			$ 7,263	

Note 4. Investments (Continued)

Earnings on the pooled investment funds include dividends and interest income. For the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, the earnings were $6,358 and $5,734, respectively, or $0.31 and $0.29 per share, respectively, as computed on ending shares.

Note 5. Endowment

The University's endowment consists of 649 individual funds established for a variety of purposes. These resources are recorded as net assets without donor restrictions and net assets with donor restrictions, as described below.

Interpretation of relevant law: The University follows the provisions of FASB Accounting Standards Codification (ASC) 958-205-50 (formerly FASB Staff Position 117-1, Net Asset Classification of Funds) subject to an enacted version of the Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act, and Enhanced Disclosures for all Endowment Funds.

The University is subject to the Florida Uniform Prudent Management of Institutional Funds Act (FL UPMIFA) and, thus, classifies amounts in its donor-restricted endowment funds as net assets with donor restrictions because those net assets are time restricted until the Board of Trustees appropriates such amounts for expenditure. Most of those net assets are also subject to purpose restrictions that must be met before reclassifying those net assets to net assets without donor restrictions. The University's Board of Trustees has interpreted FL UPMIFA as not requiring the maintenance of purchasing power of the original gift amount contributed to an endowment fund, unless a donor stipulates the contrary. As a result of this interpretation, when reviewing its donor-restricted endowment funds, the University considers a fund to be underwater if the fair value of the fund is less than the sum of: (a) the original value of initial and subsequent gift amounts donated to the fund, and (b) any accumulations to the fund that are required to be maintained in perpetuity in accordance with the direction of the applicable donor of the gift instrument. The University has interpreted FL UPMIFA to permit spending from underwater funds in accordance with the prudent measures required under the law. Additionally, in accordance with FL UPMIFA, the University considers the following factors in making a determination to appropriate or accumulate donor-restricted endowment funds:

- The duration and preservation of the Fund
- The purposes of the University and the donor-restricted endowment fund
- General economic conditions
- The possible effect of inflation and deflation
- The expected total return from income and the appreciation of investments
- Other resources of the University
- The investment policies of the University

Funds functioning as endowments are University resources designated as endowment by the Board of Trustees and are invested in the endowment for long-term appreciation and current income. However, these assets remain available and may be spent at the Board of Trustee's discretion unless donor-imposed restrictions exist on their use. Certain contributions with donor-imposed restrictions have been designated as endowment by the Board of Trustees and are included in net assets with donor restrictions.

Note 5. Endowment (Continued)

Endowment net assets were comprised of the following as of June 30, 2021:

	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total
Board-designated endowment funds	$ 123,058	$ 300	$ 123,358
Donor-restricted endowment funds:			
Original donor-restricted gift amounts required to be maintained in perpetuity by donor	-	164,793	164,793
Accumulated investment gains	-	90,015	90,015
	$ 123,058	$ 255,108	$ 378,166

Endowment net assets were composed of the following as of June 30, 2020:

	Without Donor Restrictions	With Donor Restrictions	Total
Board-designated endowment funds	$ 97,991	$ 405	$ 98,396
Donor-restricted endowment funds:			
Original donor-restricted gift amounts required to be maintained in perpetuity by donor	-	161,234	161,234
Accumulated investment gains	-	38,745	38,745
	$ 97,991	$ 200,384	$ 298,375

Changes to endowment net assets for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2021, are as follows:

		With Donor Restrictions			
	Without Donor Restrictions	Original Gift Amount	Accumulated Earnings and Other	Total with Donor Restrictions	Total
Endowment net assets, beginning of year	$ 97,991	$ 161,234	$ 39,150	$ 200,384	$ 298,375
Investment return:					
Investment income	2,102	-	4,363	4,363	6,465
Realized gain	12,964	-	27,011	27,011	39,975
Unrealized gain	15,097	-	31,227	31,227	46,324
Total investment gain	30,163	-	62,601	62,601	92,764
Contributions	-	2,509	-	2,509	2,509
Distributed earnings	(5,471)	-	(11,136)	(11,136)	(16,607)
Other changes:					
Transfers to create board-designated funds	10	-	144	144	154
Transfer due to change in donor restrictions	-	1,050	-	1,050	1,050
Other endowment activity	365	-	(444)	(444)	(79)
Endowment net assets, end of year	$ 123,058	$ 164,793	$ 90,315	$ 255,108	$ 378,166

Note 5. Endowment (Continued)

Changes to endowment net assets for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2020, are as follows:

		With Donor Restrictions			
	Without Donor Restrictions	Original Gift Amount	Accumulated Earnings and Other	Total with Donor Restrictions	Total
Endowment net assets, beginning of year	$ 72,352	$ 137,631	$ 37,454	$ 175,085	$ 247,437
Investment return:					
Investment income	1,775	-	4,062	4,062	5,837
Realized gain	1,754	-	4,249	4,249	6,003
Unrealized gain	81	-	1,570	1,570	1,651
Total investment gain	3,610	-	9,881	9,881	13,491
Contributions	-	4,969	-	4,969	4,969
Distributed earnings	(3,724)	-	(8,292)	(8,292)	(12,016)
Other changes:					
Transfers to create board-designated funds	25,409	-	729	729	26,138
Transfer due to change in donor restrictions	-	18,634	-	18,634	18,634
Other endowment activity	344	-	(622)	(622)	(278)
Endowment net assets, end of year	$ 97,991	$ 161,234	$ 39,150	$ 200,384	$ 298,375

Contributions receivable, funds held in trust by others and investment in affiliated entity: Endowment contributions receivable, funds held in trust by others, and investment in affiliated entity are not included in the above net asset balances. Net assets with donor restrictions attributable to endowment pledges as of June 30, 2021 and 2020, amount to $5,272 and $2,501, respectively, (see Note 3). Endowed net assets attributable to funds held in trust by others as of June 30, 2021 and 2020, amount to $8,849 and $7,575, respectively (see Note 6). Net assets with donor restrictions attributable to investments in affiliated entity as of June 30, 2021 and 2020, amount to $5,642 and $4,605, respectively (see Note 12).

Funds with deficiencies: From time to time, the fair value of assets associated with individual donor-restricted endowment funds may fall below the level that the donor or FL UPMIFA requires the University to retain as a fund of perpetual duration. As of June 30, 2021, deficiencies of this nature exist in one donor-restricted endowment fund, which together have an original gift value of $1,329, a current fair value of $723, and a deficiency of $606. As of June 30, 2020, deficiencies of this nature exist in 22 donor-restricted endowment funds, which together have an original gift value of $26,896, a current fair value of $25,068, and a deficiency of $1,828. These deficiencies resulted from unfavorable market fluctuations and continued appropriation for certain programs that were deemed prudent by the Board of Trustees.

Return objectives and risk parameters: The University has adopted investment and spending policies for endowment assets that attempt to provide a predictable stream of funding to programs supported by its endowment while seeking to maintain the purchasing power of the endowment assets. Under this policy, as approved by the Board of Trustees, the endowment assets are invested in a manner that is intended to produce results that exceed the price and yield results of the S&P 500 and other benchmark indices while assuming a moderate level of investment risk.

To satisfy its long-term rate-of-return objectives, the University relies on a total return strategy in which investment returns are achieved through both capital appreciation (realized and unrealized) and current yield (interest and dividends). The University targets a diversified asset allocation that places greater emphasis on equity-based investments to achieve its long-term return objectives within prudent risk constraints.

Note 5. Endowment (Continued)

The purpose of establishing a target spending rate for the University's endowment assets is to achieve the spending stability necessary for the planning and budgeting activities funded from the University's earnings. In 2006, the Board resolved to maintain the endowment payout rate in a range of 3% to 6% of the University's 12-quarter moving average market value. In fiscal years 2021 and 2020, 4.6% and 4.7% were applied to the 12-quarter moving average, respectively. The University has a policy that permits spending from underwater endowment funds, unless otherwise precluded by donor intent or relevant laws and regulations. The University appropriated $18 and $691 from underwater endowment funds during 2021 and 2020, respectively.

Note 6. Funds Held in Trust by Others

Funds held in trust by others represent resources neither in the possession nor under the control of the institution, but held and administered by outside trustees, with the University deriving income from such funds. The fair value of the University's share of the assets is reflected in the consolidated statements of financial position and income (including changes in the fair value of the assets) is recorded on the accrual basis. Funds held in trust by others are recognized at the estimated fair value of the assets or the present value of the future cash flows when the irrevocable trust is established or the University is notified of its existence. The funds held in trust by others at June 30, 2021 and 2020, amounted to $10,555 and $9,032, respectively. Included in these balances are various Charitable Remainder Unitrusts and Annuity Trusts that amount to $1,706 and $1,457 at June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively.

Note 7. Property, Plant and Equipment

Property, plant and equipment at June 30, 2021 and 2020, are summarized as follows:

	2021	2020
Land	$ 8,816	$ 8,816
Land improvements, building and facilities	283,283	280,939
Furniture and equipment	38,084	35,533
Library books and collections	28,244	29,243
Construction-in-progress	6,321	3,245
	364,748	357,776
Less accumulated depreciation and amortization	(172,362)	(162,814)
	$ 192,386	$ 194,962

Depreciation expense relating to property, plant and equipment was $11,270 and $11,238 for the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively.

Interest capitalized during the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, was $81 and $26, respectively.

Note 7. Property, Plant and Equipment (Continued)

Construction-in-progress (CIP) at June 30, 2021 and 2020, consists of the following:

	2021	2020
Sage Hall Renovation	$ 3,169	$ -
Edinger Golf Complex	1,924	1,267
Brown Hall for Health & Innovation	837	-
Nemec Hall Renovation	-	815
Other projects	391	1,163
	$ 6,321	$ 3,245

Estimated costs to complete these projects at June 30, 2021 and 2020, amount to $24,625 and $2,429, respectively.

The University recognized $1,487 and $2,204 for rental income on various facilities during the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively.

Note 8. Long-Term Debt

Long-term debt at June 30, 2021 and 2020, consists of the following:

	2021	2020
Stetson University Taxable Revenue Bonds of 2019 – payable in annual interest payments of $2,170 through 2059, including a principal balloon payment at maturity of $53,000 and semiannual interest amounts at a fixed rate of 4.094%.	$ 53,000	$ 53,000
Stetson University Volusia County Educational Facilities Authority Educational Facilities Revenue Bonds of 2015 – payable in annual principal and interest payments ranging from $6,270 to $6,275 including annual principal amounts of $1,680 to $5,975 through 2045 and semiannual interest amounts at a fixed rate of 5.00%, collateralized by the University's tuition revenues. The Series 2015 bonds were issued at a premium resulting in an effective interest rate of 4.08%.	86,545	88,400
	139,545	141,400
Other notes payable	138	138
	139,683	141,538
Debt issuance costs	(1,025)	(1,085)
Unamortized premium on bonds payable	6,452	7,135
	$ 145,110	$ 147,588

Note 8. Long-Term Debt (Continued)

As of June 30, 2021, the University had a revolving line of credit that could provide up to $5,000 for the operations and maintenance of the University. Borrowings under this line of credit would bear interest at the London Interbank Offer Rate (LIBOR) plus 1.25%, which automatically adjusts on a monthly basis. There has been no use of this revolving line of credit since its inception in November of 2018.

Required reductions of long-term debt for the fiscal years following 2021, are as follows:

	Principal	Interest	Total Debt Service
Years ending June 30:			
2022	$ 1,945	$ 6,497	$ 8,442
2023	2,040	6,400	8,440
2024	2,145	6,298	8,443
2025	2,250	6,190	8,440
2026	2,365	6,078	8,443
Thereafter	128,800	113,892	242,692
	$ 139,545	$ 145,355	$ 284,900

During fiscal year 2020, the University entered into the Stetson University Taxable Revenue Bonds of 2019, the proceeds of which are not restricted for a specific use.

Note 9. Operating Leases

The University determines if an arrangement is a lease or contains a lease at inception of a contract. A contract is determined to be or contain a lease if the contract conveys the right to control the use of identified property, plant, or equipment (an identified asset) in exchange for consideration. The University determines these assets are leased because the University has the right to obtain substantially all of the economic benefit from and the right to direct the use of the identified asset.

Assets in which the supplier or lessor has the practical ability and right to substitute alternative assets for the identified asset and would benefit economically from the exercise of its right to substitute the asset are not considered to be or contain a lease because the University determines it does not have the right to control and direct the use of the identified asset. The University's lease agreements do not contain any material residual value guarantees or material restrictive covenants. In evaluating its contracts, the University separately identifies lease and non-lease components, such as common area and other maintenance costs, for its office buildings, apartments, and vehicles. The University has elected the practical expedient to not separate lease and non-lease components and classifies the contract as a lease if consideration in the contract allocated to the lease component is greater than the consideration allocated to the non-lease component.

Note 9. Operating Leases (Continued)

Leases result in the recognition of right of use (ROU) assets and lease liabilities on the consolidated statements of financial position. ROU assets represent the right to use an underlying asset for the lease term, and lease liabilities represent the obligation to make lease payments arising from the lease, measured on a discounted basis. The University determines lease classification as operating or finance at the lease commencement date. ROU assets and lease liabilities for operating and finance leases are included in our consolidated statements of financial position. ROU assets as of June 30, 2021, amounted to $2,293 and are included in other assets on the consolidated statements of financial position. Lease liabilities as of June 30, 2021, amounted to $2,263 and are included in other liabilities on the consolidated statements of financial position. At lease inception, the lease liability is measured at the present value of the lease payments over the lease term. The ROU asset equals the lease liability adjusted for any initial direct costs, prepaid or deferred rent, and lease incentives. For the initial and subsequent measurement of all lease liabilities, the discount rate is based on the rate implied within the lease or is based on the University's incremental borrowing rate using a period comparable with the lease term. The lease term may include options to extend or to terminate the lease that the University is reasonably certain to exercise. Operating lease expense is generally recognized on a straight-line basis over the lease term. Future minimum lease payments under operating leases at June 30, 2021, are as follows:

Years ending June 30:	
2022	$ 429
2023	317
2024	290
2025	277
2026	270
Thereafter	1,112
Minimum future rental payments	2,695
Less amount representing interest	(432)
Present value of net minimum lease payments	$ 2,263

Rent expense incurred under operating leases and other short-term rental agreements amounted to $3,095 and $1,393 for the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, respectively.

Note 10. Retirement and Postretirement Benefits

Retirement benefits are provided through defined contribution plans with the Teachers Insurance and Annuity Association – College Retirement Equities Fund, a national organization used to fund pension benefits for educational institutions. All full-time employees with one year of service are eligible under the plan. The University contributes 5% of base gross salary (as defined) after completion of one year of service (as defined) at the University and 10% of base gross salary after completion of two years of service, except for certain positions, as provided in the Plan document, that are immediately eligible to receive the University contributions. Additionally, employees who were hired on or before June 30, 2008, receive supplemental University contributions in amounts based on the age of the eligible participants as of July 1, 2008. All contributions are subject to certain limitations of the IRC. The pension expense for the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, amounted to $2,650 and $5,245, respectively.

In addition, the University sponsors a defined benefit postretirement plan that provides medical and term-life insurance benefits to eligible retirees. During its May 2007 meeting, the Board of Trustees approved a resolution to reduce and eventually eliminate the postretirement defined benefit plan over a four-year period. Employees retiring through June 30, 2008, who elected to receive postretirement health care benefits, are responsible to pay 40% of the premium. Employees who retired between July 1, 2008 and June 30, 2011, who elected to receive postretirement health care benefits, are responsible to pay 50% of the premium. Employees retiring after June 30, 2011, who elect to receive postretirement health care benefits, are responsible to pay 100% of the premium. The effect of the 2007 amendment was a $12,300 reduction in prior year service costs, which are being amortized over the average service to full eligibility as of the date of the plan amendment.

Compensation-retirement benefits requires recognition of the overfunded or underfunded status of a defined benefit postretirement plan as an asset or liability in the accompanying consolidated statements of financial position and to recognize changes in that funded status in the year in which the changes occur in unrestricted net assets. It also requires measurement of the funded status of a plan as of the date of the consolidated year-end statements of financial position. The funded status of a defined benefit plan is measured as the difference between plan assets at fair value and the benefit obligation.

The following assumptions were used to calculate the liability as of June 30:

	2021	2020
Discount rate	2.38%	2.17%
Expected return on assets	N/A	N/A
Rate of compensation increases	N/A	N/A

The following benefit payments, which reflect expected future service, as appropriate, are expected to be paid:

Years ending June 30:	
2022	$ 293
2023	301
2024	306
2025	303
2026	294
2027-2031	1,519

Note 11. Related-Party Transactions

During the 2021 and 2020 fiscal years, the University paid $2,378 and $2,066, respectively, for insurance brokerage services and coverages provided by a firm for which a trustee of the University is the chairman. There were no outstanding payments owed to this firm as of June 30, 2021 and 2020. During fiscal years 2021 and 2020, the University paid $35 and $35, respectively, to a firm for which a trustee is a Managing Director for consulting services and software license fees. In addition, during fiscal years 2021 and 2020, the University paid $25 and $32, respectively, for furniture and equipment from a business owned by a University trustee.

Note 12. Charles A. Dana Law Center Foundation, Inc.

The University has recorded its interest in the net assets of the Charles A. Dana Law Center Foundation, Inc. (the Foundation) on the accompanying consolidated statements of financial position as investment in affiliated entity.

The change in net assets of the Foundation for the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, was $1,037 and $121, respectively. The University's interest in the net assets for the Foundation as of June 30, 2021 and 2020, amounted to $5,642 and $4,605, respectively.

Note 13. Net Assets with Donor Restrictions

Net assets with donor restrictions were comprised of the following at June 30, 2021 and 2020:

	Restricted by Purpose and/or Time	Held in Perpetuity	Total
June 30, 2021:			
Scholarships	$ 42,812	$ 77,015	$ 119,827
Programs	64,550	98,267	162,817
Capital	5,905	-	5,905
Trusts and annuities – time restricted	2,302	370	2,672
Contributions receivable	6,808	5,276	12,084
	$ 122,377	$ 180,928	$ 303,305
June 30, 2020:			
Scholarships	$ 21,112	$ 73,377	$ 94,489
Programs	32,755	97,072	129,827
Capital	3,940	-	3,940
Trusts and annuities – time restricted	1,951	172	2,123
Contributions receivable	8,053	2,501	10,554
	$ 67,811	$ 173,122	$ 240,933

Net assets released from restrictions in the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, are comprised of $14,515 and $12,013, respectively, due to satisfaction of program restrictions and scholarship awards, and $487 and $2,629, respectively, due to acquisition of capital assets that were placed in service.

Note 14. Fair Value Measurements

Guidance provided by the FASB defines fair value as the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date. The University utilizes valuation techniques to maximize the use of observable inputs and minimize the use of unobservable inputs. Assets and liabilities recorded at fair value are categorized within the fair value hierarchy based upon the level of judgment associated with the inputs used to measure their fair value. The fair value hierarchy gives the highest priority to quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities (Level 1) and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs (Level 3). Inputs are broadly defined as assumptions market participants would use in pricing an asset or liability. Descriptions of the three levels of the fair value hierarchy are as follows:

Level 1: Financial instruments with unadjusted, quoted prices listed on active market exchanges.

Level 2: Financial instruments determined using prices for recently traded financial instruments with similar underlying terms as well as directly or indirectly observable inputs, such as interest rates and yield curves that are observable at commonly quoted intervals.

Level 3: Financial instruments that are not actively traded on an active exchange. This category includes situations where there is little, if any, market activity for the financial instrument. The prices are determined using significant unobservable inputs or valuation techniques.

In determining fair value, the University uses various valuation approaches within the FASB ASC 820 fair value measurement framework. The following is a description of the valuation methodologies used for instruments measured at fair value and their classification within the hierarchy:

Investments:

Money market funds: Money market funds are in active markets and classified within Level 1 of the valuation hierarchy.

Equities and mutual funds*:* Equity securities and mutual funds listed on national markets or exchanges are valued at the last sales price, or if there is no sale and the market is considered active, at the mean of the last bid and asked prices on such exchange. Such securities are classified within Level 1 of the valuation hierarchy. Certain of the University's investments in mutual funds consist primarily of equity or fixed income securities while other mutual funds reflect multiple asset-class investment strategies.

Fixed-income securities: Investments in debt securities include corporate bonds and government and government agency obligation bonds. These securities are valued using market observable data, such as reported sales of similar securities, broker quotes, yields, bids, offers and reference data and classified within Level 2 of the hierarchy.

Funds held in trust by others: The University has been named as a beneficiary in charitable remainder trusts and perpetual trusts in which the University is not the trustee. Amounts reported approximate fair value. Under the guidelines set forth in the FASB ASC 820 fair value hierarchy, funds held in trust by others are classified as Level 3 inputs due to the estimates involved, including the discounts used to estimate the present value of future cash flows.

Note 14. Fair Value Measurements (Continued)

The following table presents the fair values for assets and liabilities measured on a recurring basis as of June 30, 2021:

Description	Fair Value	Level 1 Quoted Prices in Active Markets for Identical Assets or Liabilities	Level 2 Significant Other Observable Inputs	Level 3 Significant Unobservable Inputs
Short-term investments:				
Fixed income mutual funds:				
U.S. Government	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
Multi-strategy	50,065	50,065	-	-
Short-term investments total	$ 50,065	$ 50,065	$ -	$ -
Funds held in trust by others	$ 10,555	$ -	$ -	$ 10,555
Investments:				
Money market funds	$ 1,971	$ 1,971	$ -	$ -
Equity securities:				
U.S. large cap	2,732	2,732	-	-
U.S. mid/small cap	24,164	24,164	-	-
International developed	3,418	3,418	-	-
Unit Investment trusts	-	-	-	-
Equity mutual funds:				
U.S. large cap	165,893	165,893	-	-
U.S. mid/small cap	634	634	-	-
International developed	37,782	37,782	-	-
Emerging markets	245	245	-	-
Multi-strategy	298	298	-	-
Fixed income securities:				
U.S. Government	26,272	-	26,272	-
Corporate	14,189	-	14,189	-
Global fixed	1	-	1	-
Fixed income mutual funds:				
U.S. Government	6	6	-	-
Corporate	345	345	-	-
Multi-strategy	20,044	20,044	-	-
Global fixed	-	-	-	-
Other investments	769	226	543	-
Fair value hierarchy total	298,763	$ 257,758	$ 41,005	$ -
Alternative investments: (*)				
Hedge fund of funds	35,127			
Private equity funds	16,420			
Emerging market funds	18,612			
Private equity fund of funds	12,599			
Investments total	$ 381,521			

(*) In accordance with Subtopic 820-10, certain investments that are measured at fair value using the NAV per share (or its equivalent) practical expedient have not been classified in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in this table are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the amounts presented in the consolidated statements of financial position (see Note 15).

Note 14. Fair Value Measurements (Continued)

The following table presents the fair values for assets and liabilities measured on a recurring basis as of June 30, 2020:

Description	Fair Value	Level 1 Quoted Prices in Active Markets for Identical Assets or Liabilities	Level 2 Significant Other Observable Inputs	Level 3 Significant Unobservable Inputs
Short-term investments:				
Fixed income mutual funds:				
U.S. Government	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
Multi-strategy	26,860	26,860	-	-
Short-term investments total	$ 26,860	$ 26,860	$ -	$ -
Funds held in trust by others	$ 9,032	$ -	$ -	$ 9,032
Investments:				
Money market funds	$ 1,171	$ 1,171	$ -	$ -
Equity securities:				
U.S. large cap	1,645	1,645	-	-
U.S. mid/small cap	15,960	15,960	-	-
International developed	1,897	1,897	-	-
Unit Investment trusts	-	-	-	-
Equity mutual funds:				
U.S. large cap	136,305	136,305	-	-
U.S. mid/small cap	394	394	-	-
International developed	30,173	30,173	-	-
Emerging markets	174	174	-	-
Multi-strategy	191	191	-	-
Fixed income securities:				
U.S. Government	13,501	-	13,501	-
Corporate	21,057	-	21,057	-
Global fixed	2	-	2	-
Fixed income mutual funds:				
U.S. Government	189	189	-	-
Corporate	126	126	-	-
Multi-strategy	20,596	20,596	-	-
Global fixed	1	1	-	-
Other investments	742	209	533	-
Fair value hierarchy total	244,124	$ 209,031	$ 35,093	$ -
Alternative investments: (*)				
Hedge fund of funds	29,169			
Private equity funds	12,911			
Emerging market funds	8,317			
Private equity fund of funds	7,386			
Investments total	$ 301,907			

(*) In accordance with Subtopic 820-10, certain investments that are measured at fair value using the NAV per share (or its equivalent) practical expedient have not been classified in the fair value hierarchy. The fair value amounts presented in this table are intended to permit reconciliation of the fair value hierarchy to the amounts presented in the consolidated statements of financial position (see Note 15).

Note 14. Fair Value Measurements (Continued)

The table below sets forth a summary of changes in the fair value of the University's Level 3 assets for the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020:

	2021	2020
Balance, at beginning of year	$ 9,032	$ 9,194
Actuarial and present value adjustments	1,523	(162)
Balance, at end of year	$ 10,555	$ 9,032

The University's beneficial interest in irrevocable split-interest agreements held or controlled by a third-party are classified as Level 3 funds held in trust by others as the fair values are based on a combination of Level 2 inputs (interest rates and yield curves) and significant unobservable inputs (entity specific estimates of cash flows). The fair values are estimated using the income approach and are measured at the present value of the future distributions the University expects to receive over the term of the agreements.

Note 15. Net Asset Value (NAV)

The following table sets forth a summary of the University's investments with a reported NAV or equivalent:

	Fair Value June 30, 2021	Fair Value June 30, 2020	Redemption Frequency (if Currently Eligible)	Redemption Frequency (if Currently Eligible)	Unfunded Commitments
Hedge fund of funds [(a)]	$ 18,009	$ 15,516	Semi-annual	95 days	$ -
Hedge fund of funds [(b)]	17,118	13,653	Quarterly	100 days	-
Private equity funds [(c)]	4,516	4,804	Quarterly	60 days	-
Private equity funds [(d)]	11,904	8,107	Quarterly	90 days	-
Emerging markets funds [(e)]	18,612	8,317	Twice Monthly	15 days	-
Private equity fund of funds [(f)]	5,830	4,289	Not Eligible	Not Eligible	5,665
Private equity fund of funds [(g)]	6,769	3,097	Not Eligible	Not Eligible	13,330
	$ 82,758	$ 57,783			

a. This class incorporates strategies with relative value, market neutral and low net equity, event driven and distressed and credit securities.

b. This class incorporates strategies with relative value, arbitrage, global macro, long-short equity, event driven and distressed and credit securities.

c. This class is an open-end commingled fund designed to invest in high quality U.S. real estate assets. The fund's investment portfolio consists of over 175 properties across all real estate sectors of hotels, apartments, retail, office and industrial. In addition to sector diversification, this fund's investments are diversified across the U.S. with roughly half the assets in east coast properties and half in west coast properties.

Note 15. Net Asset Value (NAV) (Continued)

d. This class is an open-end commingled fund designed to invest in a nationally diversified portfolio of high quality real estate assets. The fund's investment portfolio consists of over 40 properties across all real estate sectors of hotels, apartments, retail, office and industrial. In addition to sector diversification, this fund's investments are diversified across the U.S.

e. This class invests primarily in common stocks from the universe of companies in the MSCI Emerging Markets Investable Market Index. The fund also invests in Exchange Traded Funds (ETFs), Exchange Traded Notes (ETNs) and depositary receipts to seek exposure to certain emerging markets. The fund may also invest in preferred stocks, real estate investment trusts (REITs) and other investment companies. The fund may also invest its assets in the U.S. or in other developed markets.

f. This class is a closed-end limited partnership designed to invest in a diversified portfolio of private equity fund investments purchased on the secondary market. The fund will be diversified across strategy types with investments in venture capital, buyout and credit while also diversified globally in the North America, Europe and Asia/Pacific.

g. This class is a closed-end limited partnership designed to invest in a diversified portfolio of private equity fund investments. The fund will be diversified across investment funds focused on U.S. small to mid-market buyout private equity.

Note 16. Net Tuition, Sales of Educational Services and Auxiliary Enterprises and Grant Revenues

Tuition revenue and discounts: Tuition and fees for instruction, net of scholarships and fellowships, and sales of educational services are substantially billed and collected prior to the end of each semester. Revenues are earned and recognized over the course of each semester as educational services are delivered. Accounts and notes receivable from students from services provided from contracts are disclosed in Note 3 of the consolidated financial statements. The portion of tuition revenue for the summer terms that is earned subsequent to the years ended June 30, 2021 and 2020, is treated as deferred revenue and is included with student deposits and other current liabilities on the accompanying consolidated statements of financial position. The amount of deferred revenue for these summer terms is immaterial to the consolidated financial statements.

Student financial aid in the form of scholarships and fellowships is reflected as contra-tuition revenue in the consolidated statements of changes in net assets.

Disaggregated information concerning tuition and fees by type of student as of June 30, 2021 and 2020, is as follows:

	2021	2020
Undergraduate (net of scholarships and fellowships of $94,584 in 2021 and $87,220 in 2020)	$ 53,277	$ 58,884
College of Law (net of scholarships and fellowships of $14,396 in 2021 and $12,312 in 2020)	26,841	26,755
Graduate (net of scholarships and fellowships of $1,056 in 2021 and $905 in 2020)	6,823	5,235
Total tuition and fees (net of scholarships and fellowships of $110,036 in 2021 and $100,437 in 2020)	$ 86,941	$ 90,874

Note 16. Net Tuition, Sales of Educational Services and Auxiliary Enterprises and Grant Revenues (Continued)

Sales of educational services and sales and services of auxiliary enterprises: Sales of educational services consists primarily of continuing education, professional certificate, and community school programs and are substantially billed and collected during the fiscal year.

The University's sales and services of auxiliary enterprises consist principally of goods and services to the campus community, such as residence and dining halls, retail food services, bookstore operations, facility rental and print shop services. Revenues and expenses from auxiliary enterprises are reported as changes in net assets without donor restrictions.

Charges to students for campus residence and dining services are substantially billed and collected prior to the end of each semester. Associated revenues are earned and recognized over the course of each semester as these services are delivered. Accounts receivable from students for these services are reported in Note 3 of the consolidated financial statements.

Bookstore operations are contracted with a third-party vendor and the University receives commission payments from the vendor based on monthly sales. Associated revenue with bookstore commissions are earned and recognized over the course of each semester once they can be estimated.

Disaggregated information concerning sales and services of auxiliary enterprises by type of goods and/or service is as follows:

	2021	2020
Residence halls	$ 11,841	$ 17,987
Dining services	6,859	7,949
Bookstore commissions	249	303
Other	784	846
Total sales and services of auxiliary enterprises	$ 19,733	$ 27,085

Government grants: Grants for basic research and other sponsored programs are generally subject to restrictions and conditions that must be met before the University is entitled to funding. Accordingly, advances from granting agencies are generally considered refundable in the unlikely event specified services are not performed. The University recognizes revenues on grants for basic research and other sponsored programs as the awards for such programs are expended, since expenditure in accordance with award terms typically results in the simultaneous release of restrictions and conditions imposed by the grantor.

Note 17. Liquidity and Funds Available

The following table reflects the University's financial assets as of June 30, 2021 and 2020, reduced by amounts not available for general expenditure within one year. Financial assets are considered unavailable when illiquid or not convertible to cash within one year, state required annuity reserves, trust assets, assets held for others, perpetual endowments and accumulated earnings, net of appropriations within one year (if any), or because the governing board has set aside the funds for specific reserves or for board designated endowments. As of June 30, 2021 and 2020, Board designated investments of $123,358 and $97,991, respectively, could be released and drawn upon if the board approves such action.

The University has a policy to structure its financial assets to be available as its general expenditures, liabilities, and other obligations come due. The University also has an unsecured $5,000 line of credit, which it could draw upon in the event of an anticipated liquidity need (see Note 8).

	2021	2020
Financial assets:		
Cash and cash equivalents	$ 14,266	$ 26,660
Short-term investments	50,065	26,860
Notes, accounts and pledges receivable	23,192	20,597
Investments	381,521	301,907
Funds held in trust by others	10,555	9,032
Financial assets, at year-end	479,599	385,056
Less those unavailable for general expenditure within one year, due to:		
Reserved for self funded benefit plan	(766)	(1,294)
Proceeds from issuance of bonds, held for long-term investment	(18,645)	(19,179)
Contributions receivable for the endowment	(5,272)	(2,501)
Other contributions and accounts receivable collectible beyond one year	(7,700)	(9,795)
Perpetual and term endowments and accumulated earnings	(254,808)	(199,979)
Investments held in trust	(4,112)	(3,506)
Investments in board designated endowments	(123,358)	(98,395)
Investments and perpetual trusts held by others	(10,555)	(9,032)
Financial assets available to meet cash needs for general expenditures within one year	$ 54,383	$ 41,375

Note 18. Expenses by Both Nature and Function

The consolidated financial statements report certain categories of expenses that are attributable to one or more program or supporting function of the University. These expenses include depreciation, interest, information technology and facilities operations and maintenance. Depreciation, interest and operations and maintenance are allocated based on square footage of space. Costs of information technology are allocated on estimates of time and effort. Total expenses includes all operating expenses.

Functional expenses by natural classification as of June 30, 2021:

	Instruction	Research	Public Service	Academic Support	Student Services	Institutional Support	Facilities Operation and Maintenance	Auxiliary Enterprises	Total Expense
Academic salaries and wages	$ 28,919	$ 327	$ 3	$ 596	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ 29,845
Staff salaries and wages	3,360	177	19	3,713	11,097	10,385	4,937	187	33,875
Employee benefits	9,666	98	1	1,185	3,482	2,678	1,568	59	18,737
Utilities, alterations and repairs	41	12	-	20	316	201	5,233	1,519	7,342
Insurance	146	-	4	50	321	1,373	46	264	2,204
Employee development and travel	90	13	1	53	1,040	32	3	5	1,237
Supplies and services	2,113	937	92	5,287	6,427	2,883	223	7,304	25,266
Depreciation	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,560	710	11,270
Interest	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,740	1,171	5,911
	44,335	1,564	120	10,904	22,683	17,552	27,310	11,219	135,687
Facilities operation and maintenance	6,976	-	324	2,923	3,675	1,601	(27,310)	11,811	-
Total expenses	$ 51,311	$ 1,564	$ 444	$ 13,827	$ 26,358	$ 19,153	$ -	$ 23,030	$ 135,687

Note 18. Expenses by Both Nature and Function (Continued)

Functional expenses by natural classification as of June 30, 2020:

	Instruction	Research	Public Service	Academic Support	Student Services	Institutional Support	Facilities Operation and Maintenance	Auxiliary Enterprises	Total Expense
Academic salaries and wages	$ 27,954	$ 223	$ 23	$ 770	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ 28,970
Staff salaries and wages	3,379	78	201	3,536	11,173	11,518	5,210	189	35,284
Employee benefits	10,640	60	22	1,369	3,807	3,643	1,832	66	21,439
Utilities, alterations and repairs	46	38	-	19	299	136	4,995	1,531	7,064
Insurance	178	-	4	42	314	1,062	1	222	1,823
Employee development and travel	1,051	20	12	389	1,594	202	18	8	3,294
Supplies and services	3,140	401	900	5,259	7,464	2,197	1,772	5,572	26,705
Depreciation	-	-	-	-	-	-	10,527	711	11,238
Interest	-	-	-	-	3	-	4,014	1,197	5,214
	46,388	820	1,162	11,384	24,654	18,758	28,369	9,496	141,031
Facilities operation and maintenance	7,488	-	325	3,110	3,692	1,712	(28,369)	12,042	-
Total expenses	$ 53,876	$ 820	$ 1,487	$ 14,494	$ 28,346	$ 20,470	$ -	$ 21,538	$ 141,031

Note 19. COVID-19

On January 30, 2020, the World Health Organization declared the coronavirus outbreak (COVID-19) a "Public Health Emergency of International Concern" and on March 11, 2020, declared COVID-19 a pandemic. Actions taken around the world to help mitigate the spread of the coronavirus include restrictions on travel, and quarantines in certain areas, and forced closures for certain types of public places and businesses. The coronavirus and actions taken to mitigate the spread of it have had and are expected to continue to have an adverse impact on the economies and financial markets of many countries, including the geographical areas in which the University operates.

On March 27, 2020, the *Coronavirus Aid, Relief and Economic Security Act* (CARES Act) was enacted to amongst other provisions, provide emergency assistance for individuals, families and businesses affected by the coronavirus pandemic. As part of the CARES Act, $14 billion was provided to the Office of Postsecondary Education for the creation of the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund (HEERF). HEERF provides funding to institutions for emergency financial aid grants to students as well as funding to support the costs of shifting classes online and other institutional costs incurred related to the pandemic.

Under the provisions of the CARES Act, no less than 50% of HEERF funds received by an institution must be used to provide emergency financial aid to students. The University received total funds of $3,579 in aid under the provisions of the CARES Act, of which $1,790 was distributed to students as emergency aid and $1,789 was used by the University towards costs incurred as a result of the pandemic. The institutional portion of HEERF funds was included in Government grants revenue as of June 30, 2020.

On December 27, 2020, the *Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act* (CRRSAA) was enacted to supplement and extend the purpose of the CARES Act. As part of the CRRSAA, $21 billion was provided to the Office of Postsecondary Education for the creation of the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund II (HEERF II). HEERF II provides additional funding to institutions for emergency financial aid grants to students as well as funding to support institutional costs related to the pandemic.

Under the provisions of CRRSAA and HEERF II, institutions are required to provide at least the same amount of funding in financial aid grants to students as was required under the CARES Act. The University received total funds of $5,218 in aid under the provisions of HEERF II, of which $1,790 is allocated for student emergency aid and $3,428 was applied to lost housing revenues and costs incurred as a result of the pandemic. The institutional portion of HEERF II funds was included in Government grants revenue as of June 30, 2021.

On March 11, 2021, the *American Rescue Plan* (ARP) was enacted to provide additional funding under the same provisions as CRRSAA and CARES. As part of the ARP, $40 billion was provided to the Office of Postsecondary Education for the creation of the Higher Education Emergency Relief Fund III (HEERF III). HEERF III provides additional funding to institutions for emergency financial aid grants to students as well as funding to support institutional costs related to the pandemic.

Note 19. COVID-19 (Continued)

Under the provisions of ARP and HEERF III, no less than 50% of HEERF III funds received by an institution must be used to provide emergency financial aid to students. The University received total funds of $9,319 in aid under the provisions of HEERF III, of which $4,660 is allocated for student emergency aid and $4,659 was applied to lost housing revenue and costs incurred as a result of the pandemic. The institutional portion of HEERF III funds was included in other liabilities as of June 30, 2021, and will be recognized as revenue in the same period the student portion is distributed.

It is unknown how long the adverse conditions associated with the coronavirus will last and what the complete financial effect will be to the University.

Note 20. Commitments and Contingencies

Contract commitments: The University has multiple construction contracts outstanding for various construction contracts. Contract commitments outstanding at June 30, 2021, totaled $24,818, of which $1,871 was completed, leaving an outstanding commitment of $22,947.

Contingencies: The University is party to certain litigation as of June 30, 2021 and 2020, which relates primarily to matters arising in the ordinary course of business. Management of the University anticipates that the final resolution of these items will not have a material adverse effect on the consolidated financial position of the University.

Note 21. Subsequent Events

ASC 855, Subsequent Events, establishes general standards of accounting for and disclosure of events that occur after the balance sheet date but before the consolidated financial statements are issued. ASC 855 defines two types of subsequent events. The effects of events or transactions that provide additional evidence about conditions that existed at the balance sheet date, including the estimates inherent in the process of preparing consolidated financial statements, are recognized in the consolidated financial statements. The effects of events that provide evidence about conditions that did not exist at the date of the balance sheet but arose after that date are not recognized in the consolidated financial statements. Management of the University has reviewed subsequent events through October 7, 2021, (the date of the issuance of the accompanying consolidated financial statements) and have determined that their effects do not require disclosure.

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Financial Responsibility Ratio Supplemental Schedule
June 30, 2021

Financial Statement & Financial Statement Line Item or Footnote Disclosure		Financial Statement Line Item Amount	Amount Used for Ratio
Primary Reserve Ratio			
Expendable Net Assets			
Statement of Financial Position – Net assets without donor restrictions	Net assets without donor restrictions		$ 190,412,000
Statement of Financial Position – Net assets with donor restrictions	Net assets with donor restrictions		303,305,000
Note 13 to the Financial Statements – Net assets with donor restrictions, held in perpetuity, less annuities with donor restrictions.	Net assets with donor restrictions; restricted in perpetuity		180,928,000
Note 13 to the Financial Statements – Trusts and annuities restricted by purpose and/or time	Annuities with donor restrictions		2,302,000
N/A	Term endowments with donor restrictions		-
N/A	Life income funds with donor restrictions		-
N/A	Secured and unsecured related party receivable	-	
N/A	Unsecured related party receivable		-
Consolidated Statements of Financial Position – Property and equipment, net	Property, plant and equipment, net, including construction in progress	192,386,000	
N/A	Property, plant and equipment; pre-implementation, leases grandfathered		-
N/A	Property, plant and equipment; post-implementation - with outstanding debt for acquisition		96,118,500
N/A	Property, plant and equipment: post-implementation - without outstanding debt for acquisition		89,946,500
Note **7** to the Financial Statements – Property, plant and equipment – construction-in-progress	Construction in progress		6,321,000
N/A	Lease right of use assets, net	2,293,000	
N/A	Lease right of use assets; pre-implementation, leases are grandfathered		-
N/A	Lease right of use assets; post-implementation		2,293,000
N/A	Intangible assets		-
Statement of Financial Position – Postretirement benefits	Post-employment and pension liabilities		4,698,000
	Long-term debt; for long-term purposes	145,110,000	
Statement of Financial Position – Long-term debt	Long-term debt; for long-term purposes pre-implementation, debt grandfathered		145,110,000
N/A	Long-term debt; for long-term purposes post-implementation		-
N/A	Line of Credit for Construction in progress		-
N/A	Right of use asset lease obligation		
N/A	Right of use asset lease obligation; pre-implementation, leases grandfathered	-	-
N/A	Right of use asset lease obligation; post-implementation	-	-
Total Expendable Net Assets			267,909,000

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Financial Responsibility Ratio Supplemental Schedule (Continued)
June 30, 2021

Total Expenses and Losses			
Statement of Activities – total operating expenses without donor restrictions	Total expenses without donor restrictions		135,687,000
Statement of Activities – income and realized gain on investments – net of fees, operating and nonoperating, less endowment income used in operations.	Investment loss, net investment return appropriated for spending	-	
N/A	Other components of net periodic pension costs	-	
Statement of Activities – Change in value of split interest agreements	Change in value of split interest agreements	-	
Statement of Activities – Other	Other losses	188,000	
N/A	Pension-related changes other than net periodic pension costs	-	
	Non-operating and net investment loss		188,000
N/A	Investment loss, net investment return appropriated for spending		-
N/A	Pension-related changes other than net periodic costs		-
	Total expenses and losses		135,875,000

Equity Ratio			
Modified Net Assets			
Statement of Financial Position – Net assets without donor restrictions	Net assets without donor restrictions		190,412,000
Statement of Financial Position – Net assets with donor restrictions	Net assets with donor restrictions		303,305,000
N/A	Intangible assets		-
N/A	Secured and Unsecured related party receivable	-	
N/A	Unsecured related party receivable		-
	Total modified net assets		493,717,000
Modified Assets			
Statement of Financial Position – Total assets	Total assets		684,047,000
N/A	Lease right-of-use asset; pre-implementation, leases grandfathered		-
N/A	Lease right-of-use liability; pre-implementation, leases grandfathered		-
N/A	Intangible assets		-
N/A	Secured and Unsecured related party receivable	-	
N/A	Unsecured related party receivable		-
	Total modified assets		684,047,000

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Financial Responsibility Ratio Supplemental Schedule (Continued)
June 30, 2020

Net Income Ratio			
Change in Net Assets Without Donor Restrictions			
Statement of Activities – Change in net assets	Change in Net Assets Without Donor Restrictions; increase (decrease)		27,249,000
Total Revenue and Gains			
Statement of Activities – Total operating revenues, gains (losses) and other support, without donor restrictions	Total revenue without donor restrictions, including net assets released from restrictions	136,286,000	
Statement of Activities – Endowment income used in operations	Net investment return appropriated for spending	5,471,000	
Statement of Activities – Income and realized gains on investments – net of fees, operating and non-operating, Net unrealized gains from investments, operating and nonoperating	Total net investment return, including investment return appropriated for spending	30,793,000	
N/A	Change in value of split-interest agreements	-	
	Other gains	-	
Statement of Activities – Postretirement changes other than service costs	Pension-related changes other than net periodic pension	1,029,000	
Total revenues and gains without donor restrictions			162,637,000

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Schedule of Expenditures of Federal and State Awards
Year Ended June 30, 2021

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor Program or Cluster Title	Assistance Listing Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Total Federal Expenditures
U.S. Department of Education:			
Student Financial Assistance Cluster:			
Federal Pell Grant Program	84.063		$ 5,332,300
Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant	84.007		891,140
Federal Work-Study Program	84.033		529,940
Federal Direct Student Loans	84.268		49,573,892
Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education Grants (TEACH Grants)	84.379		26,356
Total Student Financial Assistance Cluster			56,353,628
COVID-19 Education Stabilization Fund – Student	84.425E		2,556,005
COVID-19 Education Stabilization Fund – Institutional	84.425F		8,362,379
Total Education Stabilization Fund			10,918,384
Total Department of Education			67,272,012
Research and Development Cluster:			
Department of Justice:			
Bureau of Justice Assistance:			
Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant Program	16.738		88,970
Office on Violence Against Women			
Grants to Reduce Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, Sexual Assault and Stalking on Campus	16.525		28,236
Total Department of Justice			117,206
Environmental Protection Agency			
Nonpoint Source Implementation			
Pass-Through:			
Volusia County			
Nonpoint Source Implementation Gants	66.460	NF065	14,725
National Wetland Program Development Grants and Five-Star Restoration Training Grant	66.462		7,279
Total Environmental Protection Agency			22,004
National Science Foundation			
Biological Sciences	47.074		10,026
Education and Human Resources – STEM	47.076		15,493
Education and Human Resources – IUSE	47.076		2,520
Total National Science Foundation			28,039
Department of Commerce			
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration:			
Pass-through:			
University of Florida			
Sea Grant Support	11.417	SUB00002120	77,346
Sea Grant Support	11.417	SUB00002169	30,690
Total Department of Commerce			108,036

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Schedule of Expenditures of Federal and State Awards (Continued)
Year Ended June 30, 2021

Federal Grantor/Pass-Through Grantor Program or Cluster Title	Assistance Listing Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Total Federal Expenditures
United States Department of Health and Human Services:			
National Institute of Health			
Pass-Through:			
University of Pittsburgh			
Diabetes, Digestive, and Kidney Diseases Extramural Research	93.847	CNVA00048891	9,782
Total United States Department of Health and Human Services			9,782
Total Research and Development Cluster			285,067
United States Department of the Interior			
Pass-Through:			
Atlantic Center for the Arts Inc			
Conservation Activities by Youth Service Organizations	15.931	P20AC00483	20,000
Total United States Department of the Interior			20,000
Total Expenditures of Federal Awards			$ 67,577,079

State Grantor/Project Title	State CSFA Number	Pass-Through Entity Identifying Number	Total State Expenditures
State of Florida Department of Education:			
Florida Academic Scholars Awards	48.059		$ 3,075,038
Florida Academic Top Scholars Awards	48.059		1,496
Florida Medallion Scholars Award Program	48.059		2,221,250
Florida Effective Access to Student Education	48.064		5,538,281
Scholarships for Children and Spouses of Deceased or Disabled Veterans and Service Members	48.055		162,816
Florida Work Experience Project	48.053		10,956
Florida Private Student Assistance Grant	48.054		968,313
Total Florida Department of Education			11,978,150
Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles			
Stetson University License Plate Project (Note 4)	76.060		77,214
Department of State and Secretary of State			
Acquisition, Restoration of Historic Properties	45.032	R1811	500,000
Total Expenditures of State Awards			$ 12,555,364

See notes to schedule of expenditures of federal and state awards.

Stetson University, Inc.

Notes to Schedule of Expenditures of Federal and State Awards

Note 1. Basis of Presentation

The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal and state awards (the Schedule) includes grants, contracts and similar agreements entered into directly between Stetson University, Inc. (the University) and agencies and departments of federal and state governments. They also include all subawards to the University by nonfederal organizations pursuant to federal and state grants, contracts and similar agreements. The information in this Schedule is presented in accordance with the requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance) and Chapter 10.650, *Rules of the Auditor General of the State of Florida*. Because the Schedule presents only a selected portion of the operations of the University, it is not intended to and does not present the financial position, changes in net assets or cash flows for the University.

For the Federal Work Study (FWS), the expenditures listed are only the federal share. The University's match was $87,021 for FWS.

Also, the grants reflect transactions for the June 30, 2021, fiscal year irrespective of the year of grant award and accordingly, the Schedule does not include a full year's activity for grants awarded or terminated on dates not coinciding with the aforementioned fiscal year.

Note 2. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies for Federal and State Award Expenditures

Expenditures reported on the Schedule are reported on the accrual basis of accounting. Such expenditures are recognized following the cost principles contained in the Uniform Guidance, wherein certain types of expenditures are not allowable or are limited as to reimbursement.

Expenditures for student financial aid programs are recognized as incurred and include the federal share of students' Federal Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant (FSEOG) program and FWS program earnings, Federal Pell Grants, certain other federal financial aid grants for students, loan disbursements and administrative cost allowance, where applicable.

Note 3. Indirect Cost Rate

Expenditures include indirect costs, related primarily to facilities operations and maintenance and general divisional and departmental administrative services, which are allocated to direct cost objectives (including federal awards) based on negotiated formulas commonly referred to as facilities and administrative cost rates. Facilities and administrative cost rates allocated to such awards for the year ended June 30, 2021, were based on fixed rates negotiated with the respective federal agency. The University has not elected to use the 10% de minimis indirect cost rate as allowed under the Uniform Guidance.

Note 4. Subrecipient

There were no program funds passed through the University to subrecipient organizations.

Note 5. Federal Perkins Loan Program

The federal Perkins student loan program listed below is administered directly by the University and balances and transactions relating to this program are included in the University's basic financial statements. Loans made during the year are included in the federal expenditures presented in the Schedule. The balance of loans outstanding at June 30, 2021, consists of:

Cluster/Program Title	Assistance Listing Number	Amount Outstanding
Student Financial Assistance Cluster		
Federal Perkins Loan Program	84.038	$ 3,392,753

The Federal Perkins Loan Program expired September 30, 2017, and fiscal year 2018 was the last year that the University could award Perkins loans based on action established by the Department of Education. Accordingly, the University did not award any Perkins loans in fiscal year 2021. The University will be liquidating its Federal Perkins Revolving Loan Fund at the direction of the Department of Education. The liquidation will likely involve the University assigning all eligible outstanding loans to the Department of Education and the remittance of federal share of remaining Perkins cash assets to the Department of Education. Until liquidation is complete, the University is required to return the federal share of collections from students on an annual basis.

Report on Internal Control Over Financial Reporting and on Compliance and Other Matters Based on an Audit of Financial Statements Performed in Accordance With *Government Auditing Standards*

Independent Auditor's Report

Board of Trustees
Stetson University, Inc.

We have audited, in accordance with the auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America and the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards,* issued by the Comptroller General of the United States, the consolidated financial statements of Stetson University, Inc. and its related subsidiary (the University), which comprise the consolidated statements of financial position as of June 30, 2021, and the related consolidated statements of activities and cash flows for the year then ended, and the related notes to the consolidated financial statements (collectively, the financial statements), and have issued our report thereon dated October 7, 2021.

Internal Control Over Financial Reporting
In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements, we considered the University's internal control over financial reporting (internal control) as a basis for designing the audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the University's internal control. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the University's internal control.

A *deficiency in internal control* exists when the design or operation of a control does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, misstatements on a timely basis. A *material weakness* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control, such that there is a reasonable possibility that a material misstatement of the entity's financial statements will not be prevented, or detected and corrected on a timely basis.

Our consideration of internal control was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. Given these limitations, during our audit we did not identify any deficiencies in internal control that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

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Compliance and Other Matters
As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the University's financial statements are free from material misstatement, we performed tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements, noncompliance with which could have a direct and material effect on the financial statements. However, providing an opinion on compliance with those provisions was not an objective of our audit, and accordingly, we do not express such an opinion. The results of our tests disclosed no instances of noncompliance or other matters that are required to be reported under *Government Auditing Standards*.

Purpose of This Report
The purpose of this report is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control or on compliance. This report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with *Government Auditing Standards* in considering the entity's internal control and compliance. Accordingly, this communication is not suitable for any other purpose.

RSM US LLP

Orlando, Florida
October 7, 2021

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program and State Project, Report on Internal Control Over Compliance, and Report on Schedule of Expenditures of Federal and State Awards Required By the Uniform Guidance and Chapter 10.650, *Rules of the Auditor General of the State of Florida*

Independent Auditor's Report

Board of Trustees
Stetson University, Inc.

Report on Compliance for Each Major Federal Program and State Project
We have audited Stetson University, Inc. and its related subsidiary's (the University) compliance with the types of compliance requirements described in the *OMB Compliance Supplement*, and the requirements described in the *Florida Department of Financial Services' State Projects Compliance Supplement*, that could have a direct and material effect on each of the University's major federal programs and major state projects for the year ended June 30, 2021. The University's major federal programs and major state projects are identified in the summary of auditor's results section of the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs.

Management's Responsibility
Management is responsible for compliance with statutes, regulations and the terms and conditions applicable to its federal programs and state projects.

Auditor's Responsibility
Our responsibility is to express an opinion on compliance for each of the University's major federal programs and major state projects based on our audit of the types of compliance requirements referred to above. We conducted our audit of compliance in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America; the standards applicable to financial audits contained in *Government Auditing Standards*, issued by the Comptroller General of the United States; the audit requirements of Title 2 U.S. Code of Federal Regulations Part 200, *Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements for Federal Awards* (Uniform Guidance); and Chapter 10.650, *Rules of the Auditor General of the State of Florida*. Those standards, the Uniform Guidance, and Chapter 10.650, *Rules of the Auditor General of the State of Florida,* require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether noncompliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on a major federal program or major state project occurred. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence about the University's compliance with those requirements and performing such other procedures as we considered necessary in the circumstances.

We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion on compliance for each major federal program and major state project. However, our audit does not provide a legal determination of the University's compliance.

Opinion on Each Major Federal Program and Major State Project
In our opinion, the University complied, in all material respects, with the types of compliance requirements referred to above that could have a direct and material effect on each of its major federal programs and major state projects for the year ended June 30, 2021.

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Other Matters
The results of our auditing procedures disclosed instances of noncompliance, which are required to be reported in accordance with the Uniform Guidance and which are described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs as item 2021-001. Our opinion on each major federal program and major state project is not modified with respect to this matter.

The University's response to the noncompliance finding identified in our audit is described in the accompanying schedule of findings and questioned costs. The University's response was not subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of compliance and, accordingly, we express no opinion on the response.

Report on Internal Control Over Compliance
Management of the University is responsible for establishing and maintaining effective internal control over compliance with the types of compliance requirements referred to above. In planning and performing our audit of compliance, we considered the University's internal control over compliance with the types of requirements that could have a direct and material effect on each major federal program and major state project to determine the auditing procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances for the purpose of expressing an opinion on compliance for each major federal program and to test and report on internal control over compliance in accordance with the Uniform Guidance and Chapter 10.650, *Rules of the Auditor General of the State of Florida*, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of internal control over compliance. Accordingly, we do not express an opinion on the effectiveness of the University's internal control over compliance.

A *deficiency in internal control over compliance* exists when the design or operation of a control over compliance does not allow management or employees, in the normal course of performing their assigned functions, to prevent, or detect and correct, noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program or state project on a timely basis. A *material weakness in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance, such that there is a reasonable possibility that material noncompliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program or state project will not be prevented, or detected and corrected, on a timely basis. A *significant deficiency in internal control over compliance* is a deficiency, or a combination of deficiencies, in internal control over compliance with a type of compliance requirement of a federal program or state project that is less severe than a material weakness in internal control over compliance, yet important enough to merit attention by those charged with governance.

Our consideration of internal control over compliance was for the limited purpose described in the first paragraph of this section and was not designed to identify all deficiencies in internal control over compliance that might be material weaknesses or significant deficiencies. We did not identify any deficiencies in internal control over compliance that we consider to be material weaknesses. However, material weaknesses may exist that have not been identified.

The purpose of this report on internal control over compliance is solely to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over compliance and the results of that testing based on the requirements of the Uniform Guidance and Chapter 10.650, *Rules of the Auditor General of the State of Florida*. Accordingly, this report is not suitable for any other purpose.

Report on Schedule of Expenditures of Federal and State Awards Required by the Uniform Guidance and Chapter 10.650, *Rules of the Auditor General of the State of Florida*

We have audited the financial statements of Stetson University, Inc. as of and for the year ended June 30, 2021, and have issued our report thereon dated October 7, 2021, which contained an unmodified opinion on those financial statements. Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements as a whole. The accompanying schedule of expenditures of federal and state awards is presented for purposes of additional analysis as required by the Uniform Guidance and Chapter 10.650, *Rules of the Auditor General of the State of Florida* and is not a required part of the financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management and was derived from and relates directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and certain additional procedures, including comparing and reconciling such information directly to the underlying accounting and other records used to prepare the financial statements or to the financial statements themselves, and other additional procedures in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. In our opinion, the schedule of expenditures of federal and state awards is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements as a whole.

RSM US LLP

Orlando, Florida
March 29, 2022

Stetson University, Inc.

Schedule of Findings and Questioned Costs
Year Ended June 30, 2021

I. Summary of Independent Auditor's Results

Financial Statements:

Type of report the auditor issued on whether the financial statements audited were prepared in accordance accordance with GAAP:	Unmodified		
Internal control over financial reporting:			
Material weakness(es) identified?	____ Yes	X No	
Significant deficiency(ies) identified?	____ Yes	X No	None Reported
Noncompliance material to financial statements noted?	____ Yes	X No	

Federal Awards:

Internal control over major programs or projects: Material weakness(es identified?	____ Yes	X No	
Significant deficiency(ies) identified?	____ Yes	X No	None Reported
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major federal programs or state projects:	Unmodified		
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with Section 2 CFR 200.516(a)	X Yes	____ No	

Identification of major federal programs and state projects:

Assistance Listing / CSFA Number(s)	Name of Federal Program or Cluster or State Project
Federal:	
Various	Student Financial Assistance Cluster
84.425	COVID-19 Education Stabilization Fund
State:	
48.064	Florida Effective Access to Student Education Grant
48.059	Florida Bright Futures Scholarship

Dollar threshold used to distinguish between Federal type A and type B programs	$ 750,000
Dollar threshold used to distinguish between State type A and type B projects	$ 750,000
Auditee qualified as low-risk auditee?	X Yes ____ No

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State Awards:

Internal control over major programs or projects:			
Material weakness(es) identified?	____ Yes	X No	
Significant deficiency(ies) identified?	____ Yes	X None Reported	
Type of auditor's report issued on compliance for major federal programs or state projects:	Unmodified		
Any audit findings disclosed that are required to be reported in accordance with Chapter 10.650, *Rules of the Auditor General of the State of Florida*	____ Yes	X No	

II. Financial Statement Findings

None reported.

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III. Findings and Questioned Costs for Federal and State Awards

Other Material Compliance Finding:

2021-001: Enrollment Reporting

Identification of the federal program:
U.S. Department of Education
Student Financial Aid Cluster

Criteria or specific requirement: Uniform Guidance for Student Financial Aid (SFA) Programs {III. Compliance Requirements, N. Special Tests and Provisions, 4. Enrollment Reporting – Compliance requirements (34 CFR 685.309 (b)(2)(i))} stipulates that unless it expects to submit its next updated enrollment report to the secretary within the next 60 days, the school must notify the Secretary within 30 days after the date the school discovers that a loan under title IV of the Act was made to or on behalf of a student who was enrolled or accepted for enrollment at the school, and the student has ceased to be enrolled on at least a half-time basis or failed to enroll on at least a half-time basis for the period for which the loan was intended.

Condition: The University did not properly provide to the National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) notification for two students who withdrew or graduated during fiscal year 2021.

Cause: The University's third-party servicer did not submit the updates in a timely manner.

Effect or potential effect: Notification of change in enrollment status was not provided in a timely manner. Enrollment status is critical for effective management of the programs and determines eligibility for in-school status, deferment and grace periods that can affect the student.

Questioned Costs: None

Context: We selected a total of 40 students to test that the change in student status for those who withdrew or graduated who had received Direct Loans was reported to the NSLDS within 30 days or was included in a SSCR (Student Status Confirmation Report) within 60 days from the date of the change in status. Management had a process in place to ensure timely notification; however, in this instance, each student's status was either not updated in a timely manner by the University, or not communicated to the NSLDS by the University's third-party service provider, and therefore the status change was not reported timely.

Repeat Finding: Yes (Finding 2020-001)

Recommendation: We recommend management implement a review process to ensure that all degree transmissions submitted to its third-party servicer are complete and accurate, and timely, so that submissions to the NSLDS are also complete, accurate, and timely. We further recommend that the University develop a process to ensure that timely reporting of student status changes has been performed by its third-party servicer.

Views of responsible officials: The University agrees with the finding. Refer to the University's Corrective Action Plan.

STETSON UNIVERSITY

Corrective Action Plan
Year Ending June 30, 2021

Identifying number: 2021-001

Finding: Uniform Guidance for Student Financial Aid (SFA) Programs {III. Compliance Requirements, N. Special Tests and Provisions, 4. Enrollment Reporting – Compliance requirements (34 CFR 685.309 (b)(2)(i))} stipulates that unless it expects to submit its next updated enrollment report to the secretary within the next 60 days, the school must notify the Secretary within 30 days after the date the school discovers that a loan under title IV of the Act was made to or on behalf of a student who was enrolled or accepted for enrollment at the school, and the student has ceased to be enrolled on at least a half-time basis or failed to enroll on at least a half-time basis for the period for which the loan was intended. The University did not properly provide to the NSLDS notification for two students who withdrew or graduated during FY 2021.

Anticipated Completion Date: May 1, 2022

Person Responsible: Colin Hinton-MacFarlane, Executive Director of Institutional Research and Effectiveness

Corrective Actions Taken or Planned: Upon review of the audit findings and relevant institutional business processes, Stetson University will adjust its business process timelines and add an additional redundancy check to ensure all students are reported to the National Student Loan Data System (NSLDS) in a timely manner. Stetson University currently relies on the National Student Clearinghouse (NSC) as its primary means of reporting enrollment and graduation to NSLDS. The offices responsible for reporting enrollment, the Registrar's Office (RO), and graduation, Institutional Research and Effectiveness (IRE), do not have direct access to NSLDS, and only report within NSC. Moving forward, RO and IRE will be provided access to NSLDS and will reconcile NSLDS records with NSC reporting to ensure timely reporting within NSLDS and end reliance on NSC. Specifically, RO will reconcile its NSC enrollment reporting with NSLDS on a monthly basis. Additionally, IRE will advance the timeline of its reporting of graduation to immediately following degree conferral, allowing time to reconcile with NSLDS records within 30 days. Previously, IRE's business process timeline of reporting graduation within three weeks of degree conferral did not provide a buffer for errors with NSC matching or delayed reporting from NSC to NSLDS. An immediate reporting, followed by a reconciliation directly with NSLDS, will ensure future reporting is done in a timely manner. Documentation of these updated business processes are underway, as are efforts to secure the additional access within NSLDS and begin implementation of the reconciliation checks, with a target completion date of May 1, 2022.

Summary Schedule of Prior Year Audit Findings
Year Ended June 30, 2021

2020-001: Enrollment Reporting

Identification of the federal program:
U.S. Department of Education
Student Financial Aid Cluster

Criteria or specific requirement: Uniform Guidance for Student Financial Aid (SFA) Programs {III. Compliance Requirements, N. Special Tests and Provisions, 4. Enrollment Reporting – Compliance requirements (34 CFR 685.309 (b)(2)(i))} stipulates that unless it expects to submit its next updated enrollment report to the secretary within the next 60 days, the school must notify the Secretary within 30 days after the date the school discovers that a loan under title IV of the Act was made to or on behalf of a student who was enrolled or accepted for enrollment at the school, and the student has ceased to be enrolled on at least a half-time basis or failed to enroll on at least a half-time basis for the period for which the loan was intended.

Condition: The University did not properly provide to the NSLDS notification for four students who graduated or withdrew during FY 2020.

Cause: For two instances, the University's records were not updated for status changes in a timely enough manner to be properly reported. For two instances, the University's third-party servicer did not submit the updates in a timely manner.

Recommendation: We recommend management implement a review process to ensure that all degree transmissions submitted to its third-party servicer are complete and accurate, and timely, so that submissions to the NSLDS are also complete, accurate, and timely. We further recommend that the University develop a process to ensure that timely reporting of student status changes has been performed by its third-party servicer.

Current status: See current year finding 2021-001